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Fwd: MMU 3: Tokyo Drift (More News Updates; Less Bow Wow)

1 message

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Fri, Mar 9, 2018 at 9:59 AM

----- Forwarded message -----

From: **Brian Israel** <bisrael@nd.edu>
Date: Mon, Sep 7, 2015 at 1:38 PM
Subject: Fwd: MMU 3: Tokyo Drift (More News Updates; Less Bow Wow)
To: NDLAW-STUDENTS@listserv.nd.edu

Welcome to the Labor Day Edition of the MMU, because when your slogan is "God, Country, Notre Dame," the word "Country" is only relevant sans Federal Holidays. I hope everybody has enjoyed the first home game of the year. Only 11 wins and a playoff away from a championship, or as every Notre Dame fan on my Facebook has said, "Notre Dame, 2016 National Champs!" I've received some complaints regarding previous formatting in MMUs, including having too many gifs in one place and not enough color coding. To quote a woman I loathe, "haters gonna hate, hate, hate, hate." Despite that sentiment; however, I'm reminded of the musical protagonist who once said "Forget the haters, because somebody loves ya." With that, I've spread out some gifs, color coded some words, increased the difficulty/logic of some riddles and as an added bonus, even have new weekly segments. Enjoy!

The new and improved MMU is now color coded:

Messages From Administration

Calendar Events

Food Directory

GIFS

Riddle of the Week

Weekly Segments

Brian Commentary

Message From Peter:

Clay High School in South Bend is seeking law students with mock trial or trial advocacy experience to coach its high school mock trial team. The case will be available in mid-October and the regional competition likely will be in February. Clay students can meet late afternoon (after school), evenings, and/or weekends.

You can reach the Clay mock trial advisor Dianna Christopher by e-mail , dchristopher@sbcsc.k12.in.us, or phone (243-7055 classroom, 339-4147 personal cell) if you are interested and available.

Message From Eric (library computer guru):

The library has three new dual screen monitors in the computer lab. You can connect the monitor to your computer. These are cool and easy to use. They will be helpful in viewing multiple documents/ working on multiple things at once.

The following is the actual message I received via text from a third year law student regarding this update. I dealt with autocorrect best I could: There are three new dual screen desks set up in the computer lab. The to a monitor on a arm on one of the raid or desks with words that let you connect your monitor to the extra screen. Actually pretty cool and easy to use. Will be helpful for viewing multiple documents and working off of multiple things at once.

Food:

Jimmy John's: FPAC, Monday
Panera: PILF, Tuesday; IPLS, Tuesday
TBD: Environmental Law Society, Wednesday
Chick Filet: STMS, Wednesday
Pizza: Christian Legal Society, Thursday; Externship Info Session, Friday

MONDAY:

Future Prosecuting Attorney's Council (FPAC) Initial Meeting and 1L Elections

Hosted by: Future Prosecuting Attorney's Council (FPAC)

We will be introducing ourselves and discussing our plans for this year. Additionally, we will be electing our 1L representatives!

Where: 1315
When: 12:30 pm
Food: Jimmy John's

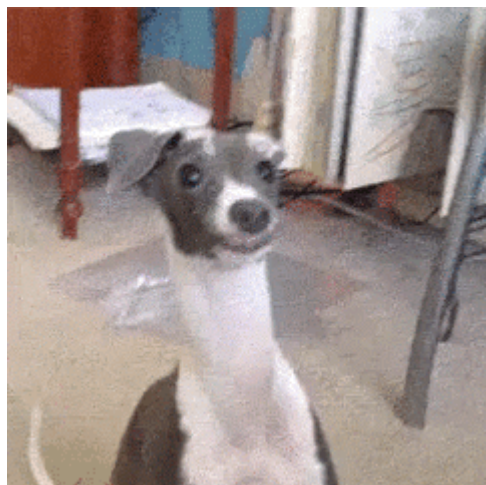
Rosary

Hosted by: St. Thomas Moore Society

Please join members of the St. Thomas More Society for a weekly recitation of the Rosary. If you would like to know more about the Rosary or would like to add an intention, contact Laura Wolk at lwolk@nd.edu.

When: 12:30 PM
Where: St. Thomas Moore (Law School) Chapel

Cute Animal:



TUESDAY:

Public Interest Law Forum - First Meeting

Hosted by: Public Interest Law Forum

The Public Interest Law Forum will be welcoming new members, discussing upcoming events, and electing 1L representatives.

Where: 1310

When: 1230-1:00

Food: Panera

Intellectual Property Law Society - First Meeting

Hosted by: IPLS (Intellectual Property Law Society)

This will be our first meeting of the semester. Food will be provided. We will also have elections for 1L Class Reps.

Where: TBD

When: 5pm

Food: Panera

WEDNESDAY:



Environmental Law Introductory Meeting

Hosted by: Environmental Law Society

A quick run down of what the group wants to accomplish this year, discuss 1L officer positions, and answer questions.

Where: TBD

When: 12:35pm

Food: "YES, something good :)" *I don't know what this means. If you email me asking, I will reply with a made up answer.*

Galilee: Justice at Work Informational Meeting

Hosted by: Galilee: Justice at Work

Galilee: Justice at Work will be holding an informational meeting on this year's program. All interested students should attend!

Where: Courtroom

When: 12:30-1:30 PM
Food: None

St. Thomas Moore Society Introductory Meeting

Hosted by: St. Thomas Moore Society

Come meet the officers of STMS and hear about our plans for the upcoming year. We will also be holding elections for our 1L representative position.

Where: Room 3130
When: 12:30 PM
Food: Chick-Fil-A

THURSDAY:

Christian Legal Society First Meeting

Hosted by: Christian Legal Society

Learn about Christian Legal Society, free pizza!

Where: 2173 Eck Hall
When: 12:30-1:30PM
Food: Pizza (unspecified source of pizza for now)

New and Improved Riddle of the Week

E H B R O T H E R S R
N E E R I T L P T T G
O R A B O B T H E T B
T M A I R H U X S B R
S A R O T R A R T R O
I N S G S S E H H O T
S O H D S H C M X T H
T S A U T N U N I H E
E Y C O H S D H R E R
R K R B R O T H E R S
S B G O I R I S H S R

FRIDAY:

Externship Info Session

Hosted By: Externship Faculty (Prof. Jones and others)

Learn about all NDLS externship opportunities, including ND Law in Chicago, ND Law in DC, Lawyering Practice Externship, Public Defender, Intercollegiate Athletics, and the National Immigrant Justice Center.

Where: Eck1130
When: 12:30-1:30pm
Food: Bruno's Pizza

Nicholas Cage/Cute Animal Gif of the Week:



SUNDAY:

Mass

When: 4:30 PM

Where: St. Thomas More (Law School) Chapel

Supper Club

Hosted by: St. Thomas Moore Society

Please join members of STMS at O'Rourke's for food and fellowship after Sunday Mass. We will meet outside the chapel around 5:20. All are welcome!

Can You Guess Who This Is:

In this weekly segment, you have to guess who this is. First person to correctly email me the response gets this photo in an 8 x 10 frame.

Despite the time, this 3L had this photograph taken in 2011. Can you guess who it is? (Note: This is especially difficult this week because of the mask.)



News In Brief:

1L Assigned to Read Another Thomas Dissent

NOTRE DAME, IN—Sources report that 1L Jeremy Kane was assigned another Justice Clarence Thomas dissent, arguing a hopeless point of law that has virtually no chance of being adopted at any point in the foreseeable future.

“I write separately to argue that the statute is unconstitutional,” mumbled Kane to himself as he started the ten-page, lone dissent, ignored even by Justice Antonin Scalia, unearthing the ancient history of English common law that no judge really cares about anymore.

“I mean, what is the point of precedent anyway?” Kane was overheard asking his 1L study group, attempting a heroic defense of Justice Thomas’s almost comedic suggestion that the Court should reconsider a basic holding in *Gibbons v. Ogden*. “If the Court has gotten it wrong for two hundred years, why should we compound the error by continuing to follow a bad case?”

After acquiring exclusive access to Kane’s hand-written case brief on the Thomas dissent, sources confirm that Kane’s outline include headers for class discussion, referring to, among other things, “original public meaning,” “strict construction of the statutory text,” and “only Justice who takes the Constitution seriously.”

“When you trace this right back to Magna Carta, the statute clearly goes beyond what the framer’s intended,” Kane was reported as saying during a cold call. “I mean, what about the Declaration of Independence? Are we just going to ignore its self-evident truths?”

At press time, Kane’s Professor reportedly instructed him, “Now, argue the other side”—at which point Kane suggested that there wasn’t one.



1L Jeremy Kane handwrites brief for maximum case law retention.

In Other News:

[1L Raises Hand in Every Class, Professor Unimpressed](#)

[2L Gets Job at Impressive Firm, Acts Like Its No Big Deal, Speaks of Nothing Else](#)

[University States Next Step of Campus Development Involves Creation of Building Entirely From Ivory Tusks](#)

[3L Converses with 1L, Never Learns Name. Now Refers to 1L Only with Ridiculous Nicknames](#)

A Day in the Life: One Student Describes Their Game-day Experience

Each week a different student will provide commentary regarding his/her game-day experience.

Jenn Thomson

[REDACTED PARAGRAPHS]

Before I knew it, it was getting close to 7:30 and we were headed into the stadium for the longest four hours of my life. I took a few pictures for instagram, jumped around on the bleachers, and wished I was sitting on my couch watching the game on espn with a big bag of jalapeno potato chips. The pep band did a couple of cool songs, we made a bunch of touchdowns (duh), and we won 38-3 (because we're the best). I still don't get how the other team even got any points when they didn't make any touchdowns, but whatever.

I left the game and went back to the parking lot. [REDACTED] Can't wait for Georgia Tech!!!

Restaurant Review:

Each week our guest critics will tell us about the best place in South Bend to eat. Need I remind the 3Ls, "Tacos, Tacos, Tacos" was announced to us in a 2013 addition of the MMU.
Rachel Lynn, Natalia Kruse

As the law school's [cultural food] aficionados, Brian asked us, Natalia and Rachel, to write a weekly [food blog] about all of the [fine cuisine] South Bend has to offer. We'll eat [South Bend food], so you don't have to.

[Go YouTube Saturday by Rebbecca Black]

First up, **China King's Express**: As we arrived home after an all you can eat brunch Sunday afternoon, we naturally started discussing what we would have for dinner. As luck would have it, China King's Express had left a menu on our door: making the decision a no brainer. The menu describes the food as "healthy and natural cuisine," and also included french fries as a menu item, so you know it's healthy. As an added bonus, it's located in a strip mall next to a dollar store and Tobacco Central. We got chicken, tofu, postickers, and of course, french fries. All in all, the food was typical Chinese food: Not great, not terrible; but the service was fast and their marketing scheme was obviously effective on us.

Fortune Cookie Game 5/5 stars ("Open up your mind. Let your fantasies unwind"). Food: 2.5/5 stars.

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